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8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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11 MAURICE DARONTE DAVIS,
12 Plaintiff,
13 v.
14 MACOMBER, *et al.*,
15 Defendants.

Case No. 1:25-cv-00092-BAM (PC)

ORDER TRANSFERRING CASE TO THE
SACRAMENTO DIVISION OF THE
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

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17 Plaintiff Maurice Daronte Davis (“Plaintiff”), a state prisoner proceeding *pro se*, filed this
18 civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983, together with a motion to proceed *in forma*
19 *pauperis* pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1915, in the Fresno Division of the United States District Court
20 for the Eastern District of California on January 22, 2025. (ECF Nos. 1, 2.)

21 In his complaint, Plaintiff alleges violations of his civil rights that took place in
22 Sacramento County, which is part of the Sacramento Division of the United States District Court
23 for the Eastern District of California. Therefore, the complaint should have been filed in the
24 Sacramento Division.

25 Pursuant to Local Rule 120(f), a civil action which has not been commenced in the proper
26 court may, on the court’s own motion, be transferred to the proper court. Therefore, this action
27 will be transferred to the Sacramento Division. This Court will not rule on Plaintiff’s request to
28 proceed *in forma pauperis*.

1 Good cause appearing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

2 1. This action is transferred to the United States District Court for the Eastern District of
3 California sitting in Sacramento; and
4 2. All future filings shall refer to the new Sacramento case number assigned and shall be
5 filed at:

6 United States District Court
7 Eastern District of California
8 501 "I" Street, Suite 4-200
Sacramento, CA 95814

9 3. This Court has not ruled on Plaintiff's request to proceed *in forma pauperis*. (ECF
10 No. 2.)

11 IT IS SO ORDERED.

12 Dated: January 23, 2025

13 /s/ *Barbara A. McAuliffe*
14 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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